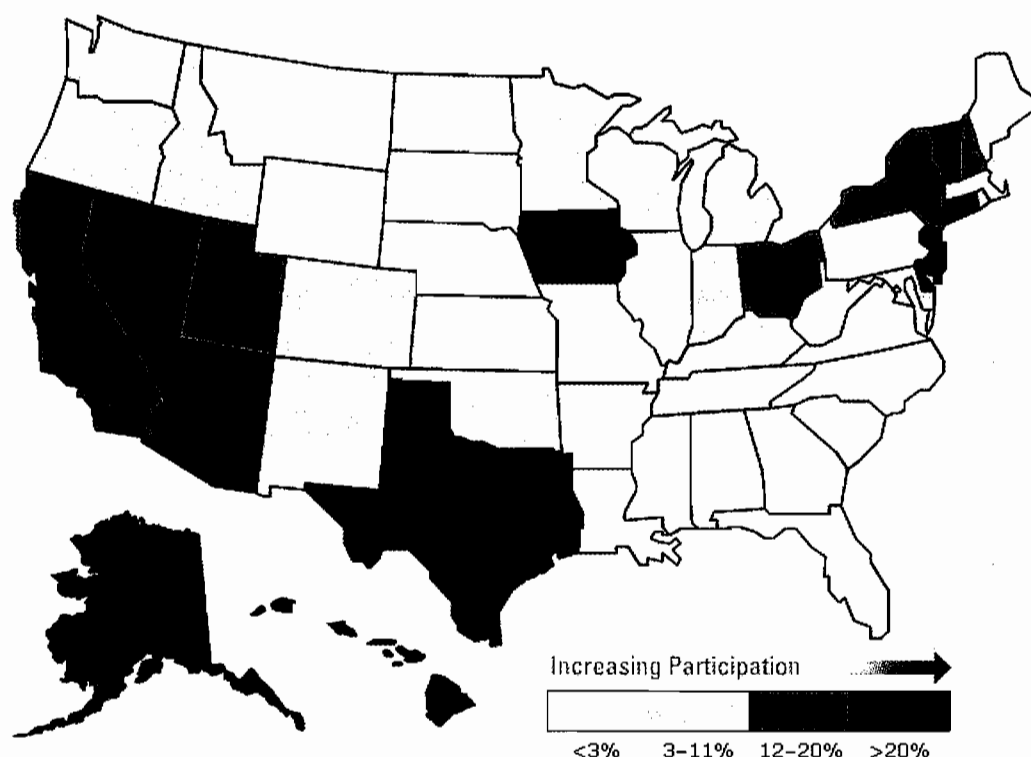




## ENERGY STAR Qualified New Homes Market Indices for States

The ENERGY STAR Qualified New Homes Market Indices for States compares the number of ENERGY STAR qualified new homes built to the number of privately owned housing units permitted in each state and the District of Columbia. Each state's index is a measurement of ENERGY STAR's presence in the site-built, single-family new homes market for that state. It does not measure other energy efficiency efforts within the state. The map below illustrates the ENERGY STAR Qualified New Homes Market Indices for States for 2006. ENERGY STAR, in partnership with stakeholders, achieved an average national market presence in the new homes sector of 12% in 2006. States with a market index equal to or greater than the national average are listed in the table below.



Nearly 200,000 new homes earned the ENERGY STAR in 2006, bringing the total number of ENERGY STAR qualified homes across the nation to almost 750,000. This translates to estimated annual savings of:

- \$180 million in utility bills
- 1.4 gigawatt-hours of electricity
- 100 million therms of natural gas
- 1.5 million metric tons of CO<sub>2</sub>

State	2006 ENERGY STAR Qualified New Homes <sup>1</sup>	2006 One-Unit Housing Permits <sup>2</sup>	2006 ENERGY STAR Market Penetration
Alaska	1,024	1,612	64%
Arizona	20,101	55,633	36%
California	18,105	107,714	17%
Connecticut	1,606	7,107	23%
Delaware	1,217	5,015	24%

Hawaii	2,086	5,597	37%
Iowa	5,866	10,250	57%
Nevada	18,891	26,722	71%
New Hampshire	820	4,826	17%
New Jersey	5,351	17,113	31%
New York	2,569	19,981	13%
Ohio	3,462	27,514	13%
Texas	60,839	162,750	37%
Utah	3,554	22,595	16%
Vermont	501	2,071	24%

**States With an ENERGY STAR Qualified New Homes Market Index between 3% and 11%**

Colorado  
Idaho  
Indiana  
Kentucky  
Maryland  
Massachusetts  
Michigan  
Minnesota  
New Mexico  
Oklahoma  
Oregon  
Rhode Island  
Washington  
Wisconsin

**States With an ENERGY STAR Qualified New Homes Market Index less than 3%**

Alabama  
Arkansas  
District of Columbia  
Florida  
Georgia  
Illinois  
Kansas  
Louisiana  
Maine  
Mississippi  
Missouri  
Montana  
Nebraska  
North Carolina  
North Dakota  
Pennsylvania  
South Carolina  
South Dakota  
Tennessee  
Virginia  
West Virginia  
Wyoming

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<sup>1</sup> In addition to site-built, there are ENERGY STAR qualified multifamily homes as well as ENERGY STAR qualified manufactured homes. However, these homes are not included in the indices because of differences in the definition and tracking of these types of homes by the US EPA and Census. ENERGY STAR qualified new homes data is submitted quarterly to EPA on behalf of builders by third-party rating providers accredited by the Residential Energy Services Network (RESNET).